## IN HOUSE

## 2005 REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 197
MONDAY, MARCH 21, 2005

Representative Brinkman introduced the following resolution which was ordered to be printed.

DATE March 31, 2005

TREY GRAYSON
SECRETARY OF STATE
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BY

A RESOLUTION recognizing April 22 as Earth Day.

WHEREAS, April 22, 2005, will be the 36th annual celebration of Earth Day; and WHEREAS, Earth Day has been a catalyst for ecological awareness and environmental responsibility across the United States and the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, Kentucky's rich natural resources, from the old growth forests of eastern Kentucky to the falls of the Ohio to the bald cypress swamps of Western Kentucky, provide us with valuable opportunities to renew our minds, bodies, and souls; and

WHEREAS, the environmental and economic health of Kentucky are intrinsically linked; and

WHEREAS, Commonwealth cabinets and agencies have joined with local communities, businesses, organizations, and families to celebrate the beauty of the Commonwealth to be good stewards of the earth;

NOW, THEREFORE,

## Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

- Section 1. The House of Representatives does hereby join with Governor Ernie
- 2 Fletcher and Secretary of State Trey Grayson to recognize April 22, 2005, as Earth Day in
- 3 Kentucky and, furthermore, encourages all citizens to celebrate and protect Kentucky's
- 4 environment on this Earth Day and through the week of April 22, 2005, and every week,
- 5 by enjoying Kentucky's wonderful natural resources and serving as stewards of our fragile
- 6 earth and all that share it.
- 7 Section 2. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy
- 8 of this Resolution to: Governor Ernie Fletcher, The Capitol, 700 Capitol Avenue,
- 9 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601; and to Secretary of State Trey Grayson, 700 Capitol Avenue,
- Suite 152, State Capitol, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.



## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OFFICE OF THE CLERK
March 29, 2005

Secretary of State Trey Grayson Suite 152 700 Capitol Avenue Frankfort, KY 40601

Dear Secretary of State Grayson:

The House of Representatives has adopted House Resolution No. 197 on March 21, 2005. I am enclosing a copy for you as directed by the Resolution.

Sincerely,

Lois Pulliam

Chief Clerk of the House

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